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Applicants:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time in the above-identified patent application in order to respond to the Office Action of a Non-Provisional Application mailed October 4, 2002. This extension is for one (1) month and will extend the due date from January 4, 2003 to February 4, 2003. A response is enclosed herewith.

Please charge Deposit Account No. <u>19-2179</u> for the extension fee of \$110.00. The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. <u>19-2179</u>. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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